

Relationship and Health Education Consultation

Relationships Education is designed to help children have positive and safe relationships with family, friends and online.

Health Education will help children to make good decisions about their health and wellbeing and enable them to know how to seek help if issues arise.

As part of our preparation to deliver these new requirements, we have been working hard to make sure that the resources and materials we use to do this are right for both our pupils and our school community. We have taken the opportunity to look at a range of different teaching resources to ensure that the materials we use are up to date and current but most importantly are suitable for our school. We now feel that we have created an effective curriculum which balances all these things and will be well-received by pupils, staff, parents, and governors.

As required by the Government, we are now consulting with parents and carers on our approach to this, specifically around our Relationships Education curriculum and RSE policy. Given the current circumstances around social distancing and other restrictions, we felt that the best way to do this was via our school website and by sharing some of the key documents for you look at.

The idea of this consultation exercise is to give you a chance to see how we have interpreted the statutory guidance and let us know what you think. Please take a look at our draft RSE Policy which will give you all the information you need about our approach to Relationships Education at Rosewood School. Within the appendix of this policy, you will find an overview of our PSHE curriculum which will give you more information about the themes and topics covered across the school years, including some additional non-statutory content. The other documents within this site are designed to give you further information and guidance about our wider approach to PSHE education at Rosewood.

Consultation process

We think that is important that every parent is involved in all parts of the education of their child and we want this to be a useful and informative engagement exercise for our school, so if you have any feedback or comments about any of the elements of our policy, then please let us know. We will use this information to help us make any final decisions about our policy and curriculum.

This consultation process will stay open for two weeks and end on **Monday 9th November 2020 at midday**. We have set up an email address for parents/carers to use if they wish to email feedback to us about this. Please state the name of your child, their year group and your own name in your email. Please make sure you have read the draft policy and useful documents thoroughly.

Email: bguider@rosewood.dudley.sch.uk

Once this consultation is completed, we will then take some time to look at the feedback and any questions. We will post answers to general/similar questions and topics back here in this section of our website and let you know when this is done. For any specific questions or queries which cannot be dealt with in this way then it may be possible to follow these up with individual parents via a phone call or email.

Once this is concluded, we will then take all views and opinions into consideration before we close the consultation and publish the final versions of our RSE policy and curriculum overview. This policy and curriculum will then come into immediate effect and be published on our school website.

Please note, this consultation is for parents/carers of pupils at Rosewood School only.